

New Arrivals:

Imported Dill Pickles
Potomac Roe
Hulled Corn Hominy
Heinz Baked Beans

Batavia Plum Pudding
Batavia Wet Mince Meat

Everything in Evaporated Fruits—new crop
Second shipment new crop Nuts

Howell & Newton
(INCORPORATED)

Have you seen our display of
Fruit Cake ingredients in front show case?

THROWS BOMB IN SHAFT.

Unknown Individual Causes a
Terrific Explosion.

OVER A SCORE ARE HURT.

Threatening Letters, Written to Ital-
ians Residing in a New York Tenement
Building, Followed Up by an
Attempt to Take Human Life.

New York, Dec. 9.—More than a
score of persons were injured, five
of them seriously, and 100 more
thrown into a panic when a bomb
was hurled into the air shaft of the
tenement house at 330 East Sixty-third
street. The house was badly damaged.
It was occupied exclusively by Ital-
ians, and it has developed that threat-
ening letters had been received by
many of them during the past few
months.

The explosion was terrific. The
concussion shook the building. Plaster
and brick were mixed with large
pieces of glass from shattered win-
dows and hurled into the sleeping
rooms with frightful force. Some of
those injured were found half buried
and unconscious under the debris
piled upon their heads.

TERRORIZED BY TOUGHS.

Conductor Beaten and Robbed and is
Also Completely Cowed.

New York, Dec. 9.—An exciting in-
cident occurred.

About twenty people of the city,
who were passengers, a third of
whom were women were help-
less spectators, during the opera-
tions of a band of toughs, who board-
ed a southbound Eighth avenue car at
Fourteenth street, knocked down and
beat the conductor, robbed him of all
the money he had and terrorized him
into an attitude of non-accusation
when an officer arrived. The passen-
gers were warned not to leave their
seats until the gang had worked its

will with the conductor and escaped.
In the midst of the fracas the motor-
man, who had kept the car moving at
its usual pace, blew his whistle for a
policeman.

When the officer appeared, although
the men who had committed the rob-
bery were then on the car, the ter-
rorized conductor meekly said they had
escaped. When the car had gone a
few blocks farther the conductor was
beaten again and severely bruised.
Then leaving the car with their loot
the men escaped.

CASTRO CROSSES OCEAN.

President of Venezuela Arrives at a
Port in Spain.

Santander, Dec. 9.—The French
steamer Guadeloupe, with President
Castro of Venezuela on board, came in
here. It was learned soon after her
arrival that President Castro will con-
tinue on board the steamer to Bor-
deaux and that from Bordeaux he will
travel overland to Berlin.

President Castro comes to Europe
with the intention of settling all of
Venezuela's international quarrels.
His general health is good.

Lady Locked Up in Store.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—A Chicago young
lady had a decidedly unpleasant ex-
perience.

Miss Mabel Roan of 3308 State
street used a drug store telephone so
long that when she came out of the
booth the druggist had locked up the
place for the night and gone home. It
was 11:30 o'clock when she telephoned
from her prison to the Stanton ave-
nue police station. A policeman was
sent to the residence of the druggist,
C. Yoemans, Fifty-first street and
Wabash avenue, and it was nearly two
hours before he reached the store.
While waiting for the druggist to re-
lease her Miss Roan talked to friends
over the telephone.

Sustains Broken Leg.

Amarillo, Tex., Dec. 9.—An automo-
bile containing E. L. Dohoney, a prom-
inent real estate dealer, and five oth-
er persons turned turtle. Mr. Dohoney
sustained a broken leg and has se-
rious internal injuries.

ENFORCE OR ABROGATE.

Governor, It Is Said, Favorable
to Sunday Matter Thus.

Austin, Dec. 9.—Governor Campbell
it has been ascertained, has begun the
preparation of his biennial message to
the incoming legislature, shaping the
policies that he determined upon dur-
ing his stay at Mineral Wells. It is
reported that the governor will rec-
ommend that the Sunday laws of the
state shall either be rigidly enforced
or entirely abrogated. It is also stated
that he will lay special stress upon
the playing of baseball on Sunday.

CAPTION TOO BROAD.

Supreme Court Reverses and Dismiss-
es the Full Crew Law Case.

Austin, Dec. 9.—The enactment of
the Thirtieth legislature, known as
"full crew law," which requires rail-
roads to maintain full crews on its
trains, was knocked out by the su-
preme court, in opinion rendered in
the case of the Missouri, Kansas and
Texas Railway company against the
state of Texas, which was reversed and
dismissed. The supreme court held
that the act is invalid for the reason
that the subject of which it treats is
not expressed in its title, as required
by the constitution, which provides
that no bill shall contain more than
one subject, which shall be expressed
in its title. This was the contention
of the railroad company, which is
agreed to by the court.

"In this case," says the court, "the
statute so clearly fails to comply
with the requirement of the consti-
tution that it must hold it to be in-
valid."

In answering certified questions
from the court of civil appeals at Gal-
veston, in the case of James Hender-
son vs. the city of Galveston, et al.,
the supreme court held that Galveston
city commissioners cannot prescribe
saloon limits under the ordinance
passed by the commissioners giving
that authority for the reason that the
ordinance, which is based on an
amendment to the Galveston city
charter, is void and invalid.

It is disclosed that confusion has
arisen between the Texas state branch
of the Red Cross at Dallas and the
Texas Anti-Tuberculosis association.
As the Red Cross is selling Christmas
stamps and so is the association, both
for the same end, however, Secretary
Bibb of the association is in a quan-
dary how to adjust the matter, as at
present a conflict arises.

The supreme court held that when
a clerk of a court fails to enter a gen-
eral verdict during the term the court
may at a subsequent term direct the
entry nunc pro tunc. The court says
that the statute directs the clerk to
enter a general verdict without an-
nouncement by the court, but in the
case of a special verdict, the court
determines what the judgment shall
be and enters it. This was in a case
from McLennan county.

Death Penalty to Continue.

Paris, Dec. 9.—The chamber of de-
puties, by a vote of 230 to 201, decided
in favor of continuing death penalty.

CONDENSED REPORT OF THE
CONDITION OF

The City National Bank

OF BRYAN TEXAS

As made to the Comptroller of the Currency
at the close of business November 27, 1908.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$195,906.27
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	104,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.....	8,516.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,626.00
CASH.....	309,197.12
	\$620,245.39

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	93,800.53
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	426,444.86
	\$620,245.39

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
County of Brazos. } I, Albert W. Wilkerson,
cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear
that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: } J. W. English
E. H. Astin
G. S. Parker
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 30th day
of November, 1908. FRED. L. CAVITT,
Notary Public Brazos County, Texas.

Yoakum's Right-Hand Man.

Fort Worth, Dec. 9.—In local rail-
road circles it is reported that Presi-
dent A. J. Davidson of the Frisco will
soon go to New York to become B.
F. Yoakum's right-hand man in man-
aging the entire Rock Island system.
It is also said that Carl Gray will be-
come vice president of the Frisco and
W. C. Nixon general manager.

Wealthy Farmer Dead.

Dallas, Dec. 9.—W. A. (Gus) Law-
rence, a resident of Mesquite, this
county, died from the effects of chloro-
form, accidentally used. Mr. Lawrence
was one of the wealthiest citizens of
Dallas county, his holdings being val-
ued at \$250,000.

Receive "Black Hand" Letters.

San Antonio, Dec. 9.—R. C. Caffar-
elli, a prominent Italian merchant,
received a letter, signed "Black
Hand," demanding \$200. The letter
is written in good Italian. Caffarelli
gave the letter to a secret service man
for investigation. John Plantl, also
an Italian, received a similar letter.

Extension Contract Closed.

Waco, Dec. 10.—J. B. Holloway,
who has just arrived from Lubbock
announces that the contract has been
closed with the Santa Fe railroad for
extending its line from Plainview to
Lubbock and that the road will put
up a substantial forfeit. Work starts
immediately. The towns are about
ninety miles apart.

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.. SILK WAIST PATTERNS ..

We place on sale today our entire selection of handsome
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4½ yd patterns \$5.00, Reduced to **\$4.23**

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If you want a pretty CHRISTMAS PRESENT choose one of these beautiful patterns.

PHONE 129

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PHONE 129

Mr. E. J. Fountain
requests the honor of your presence at the sale of
his full line of
Fancy Groceries
to
His Many Customers
on Monday morning, eight o'clock, December 7th
nineteen hundred and eight
at his store
Bryan, Texas

LARGE LUMBER DEAL.

Transaction Involves One-Half Million Dollars.

Houston, Dec. 6.—The sawmill and equipment of the Columbia Lumber company at Oakhurst, together with 20,000 acres of yellow pine land in San Jacinto county, were sold at Houston to the Palmetto Lumber company of Palmetto, Tex. The consideration is \$500,000.

The Carey-Lombard interests of Chicago owned the Columbia company and W. P. Carey and D. J. Young of that company were here to close the trade. This is the largest lumber mill transaction made in the southwest in many months.

Texas Secures Tennessee Options.

Nashville, Dec. 6.—W. J. Scott of Beaumont Oil company of Beaumont, Tex., he secured from the West Tennessee Land company options on 7,000 acres of land surrounding and including islands in Reelfoot lake and will begin prospecting at once. If oil is found sufficient quantities of pipe line will be run to St. Louis. The consideration for this option is 50 cents per acre for the first year and 12 1/2 per cent of the oil output per year for the next 100 years.

Revolutionists March In.

Port au Prince, Dec. 6.—The revolutionary army, 8,000 strong, marched into Port au Prince at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. General Antoine Simon was at its head and he was given an ovation by the people of the city. The entrance of the soldiers was orderly and discipline is being maintained.

Hens Not Doing Their Duty.

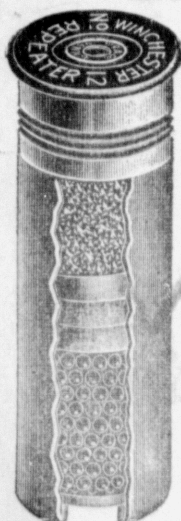
Chicago, Dec. 9.—Hens are derelict in their duty. They have utterly failed to supply the market properly, according to Chicago merchants. Consequently eggs have advanced and the consumers are charged from 30 cents upward. The only hope for a reduction of price within the next thirty days, according to dealers, is a revival of the laying industry among hens of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and other southwestern states.

Bloodthirsty Pratt.

Kansas City, Dec. 9.—"I am not going to die. I am going to get well and live to kill a few more policemen." That was the assertion Louis Pratt, the self-styled "Adam God," the religious fanatic, who is lying in the general hospital seriously wounded in a battle between his followers and police gave utterance to.

Xmas Trees.

Choice cedar trees delivered to any part of the city for residence or Sunday school. Apply or phone 392. J. F. Stuart. 320



HUNTERS!

Are you shooting Winchester Leader Remington and Nu Black Loaded Shells. If not, why not? Get busy. If you want to hit to kill, you must use the best. Sold by J. Allen Myers, The Hot Kutter.

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Dickinson's Dist. Ext. Witch Hazel
Hydrogen Peroxide L. & F. equal parts.

Apply morning and night to whiten and clear complexion.

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YANKEE SINKS.

After Long and Persistent Efforts
Cruiser Had Just Been Floated.

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 6.—The United States cruiser Yankee after having been aground on a reef at the western entrance to Buzzard's bay for several weeks, sunk Saturday off Penikese island. The 150 members of her crew landed safely.

The sinking of the Yankee was the culmination of a cruise from Newport to the neighborhood of Martha's Vineyard, to attend the submarine flotilla in its fall maneuvers. While on her way from Cuttyhunk to Newport for a supply of coal the Yankee struck on Spindle Rock at the western entrance to Buzzard's bay during a thick fog on Sept. 23.

After persistent efforts by the government to free the cruiser failed, John Arbuckle, the sugar refiner, believed he could float the vessel by the use of compressed air and his services. A contract was made between Arbuckle and the navy department by the terms of which the former was to receive \$75,000 if he floated the Yankee, while if he failed, he was to receive \$25,000 as part payment for his services. It was a long and difficult task, to do so, but Friday the Yankee was floated.

NEGRO HAS THICK SKULL.

Bullet He Fires at Himself Fails to Penetrate and Flattened.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Dec. 6.—J. C. Jones of Omaha, a negro, en route home from Winsman, O., on a Rock Island train, drew a revolver while sitting in the chair car about fifteen miles east of this city, placed the weapon to the side of his head and pulled the trigger. The bullet glanced from the skull, passed beneath the scalp to the back of Jones' head, emerged and struck the negro porter, Joe Lee, at the opposite end of the car, in the back of the head and was completely flattened. Lee was slightly stunned. Jones was brought to this city in an unconscious state, but revived while being taken to Mercy hospital.

DESPERATE BATTLE.

Deputy Sheriff Litteral and Bill Vinson, a Moonshiner, Killed.

Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 6.—Deputy Sheriff Litteral and Bill Vinson, a moonshiner, were killed in a desperate battle early Saturday near Webb, on the Big Sandy river, forty miles south of here, between a dozen United States deputy marshals and friends of Joe Vinson, the noted moonshiner. Deputy Sheriff Will Litteral of Louisa, who was a member of the marshal's posse, was killed by Bill Vinson, who himself was then shot and killed by officers.

The deputies succeeded in arresting Joe Vinson, head of the moonshiners, Morris Bates and Will Vinson, Jr. Vinson and his men had been defying arrest for several months.

"Pure Inventions."

Washington, Dec. 6.—Recent newspaper stories connecting the president with narrow escapes from accidents by being run down by automobiles, messenger boys and latterly a fire engine, have resulted in the giving out at the white house of an official statement characterizing the stories as "pure inventions."

RECTOR FEARS DEATH.

Episcopal Minister Appeals to Federal Authorities For Protection.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Fearing death at the hands of an unknown writer of threatening letters he has been receiving the Rev. William O. Walters, rector of Grace Episcopal church, has appealed to the federal authorities for protection.

He has been commanded in several letters to leave \$5,000 near the high bridge in Lincoln park. Failure to comply with the request means death, says the letters. The missives are signed "The White Death."

The organization is believed to be a new society on the plan of the Black Hand. Dr. Walters, before taking the pastorate of Grace church, was rector of a leading Episcopal church at Detroit. Grace church is one of the wealthiest Episcopal congregations in the United States and one of the oldest churches in Chicago.

LITTLE GIRL MISSING.

Father and Mother Divorced and the Latter Given Custody of Child.

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 6.—The five year old daughter of Mrs. W. A. Harris is missing. The father and mother are divorced, the court giving the mother custody of the little girl. Tuesday the three met for the first time since the estrangement. The mother being forced to depart to her work left the little girl in the custody of the father, who promised to return her to the Catholic institute where she is being educated. Since that time neither father or daughter have been seen. The mother is stricken with grief at the loss of the child.

INVASION EASY.

Lord Roberts Says Germany Could Land Troops In England.

London, Nov. 24.—Speaking in the house of lords, Field Marshal Lord Roberts expressed the conviction that the lack of military force sufficient to make hopeless the attempt of an invasion would, in all probability be the cause of the loss of Great Britain's supremacy at sea. In a studied speech he pointed out the comparative ease with which Germany could land an army on the shores of England. Under the present conditions England would be forced, he said, to submit to most humiliating demands. He disclaimed all hostility to or fear of Germany, but he declared that the defense of the islands requires immediate attention. There should be an army so strong in numbers and efficient in quality that the most formidable of foreign nations would hesitate to make a landing in England. He had ascertained, the speaker continued, that vessels capable of accommodating 200,000 men always were available in the northern ports of Germany and that as a result of the new German steamship lines were in constant practice on the embarking and disembarking, and as the railroads were owned by the state preliminaries up to the actual despatch of troops could be carried out with the utmost secrecy.

The speech caused a sensation.

For Rent—The Tom Lee restaurant, already furnished for running. Apply to J. N. Cole. 291-316

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank Of Bryan

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV. 27, 1908

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \$225,576.08
Demand Loans on Cotton 46,497.09
U. S. Bonds and Premiums 156,400.00
State Bonds and Premiums 51,864.00
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures 9,650.00
CASH \$169,618.00
\$659,605.17

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$100,000
Surplus and Profits 87,500
Circulation 100,000
DEPOSITS 372,000
\$659,605.17

I, L. L. McInnis, Cashier of the above named Bank, solemnly swear that the above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

J. W. Howell
Guy M. Bryan, Jr.
H. O. Boatwright } Directors.

L. L. McInnis, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this, November 30, 1908.
W. P. Bryan,
Notary Public, Brazos County, Texas.

HOLIDAY INVITATION

We will be glad to see every one that calls, whether they buy or not. We are showing a great many things to interest and amuse. We will be pleased to tell you all about them that you wish to know without importuning you too strongly to buy. Holiday shoppers of Fancy China, Cut Glass, Toilet Cases, Dolls and Toys who buy wisely will confine the bulk of their purchases to our store.

E. J. Jenkins

The Big Grocery Sale

will continue until everything is disposed of. Hundreds of new buyers as well as our old customers are taking advantage of this close-out sale for cash. Remember all purchases of One Dollar and over delivered free. Below we quote a few prices on articles that have not appeared before. All other goods in proportion:

18 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
Swift's Premium Ham per pound 14c
Swift's Premium Bacon per lb. 20c
18-oz. Bot. Fancy Selected Queen Olives, per bottle 20c
20-oz. Bot. Fancy Selected Queen Olives per bottle 25c
18-oz. Bot. Fancy Selected Stuffed Olives, per bottle 20c
14-oz. Bot. Hyman's sour mixed pickles, per bottle 7 1/2c

40-oz Bot. Hyman's sour mixed Pickles, per bottle 20c
64-oz Bot. Hyman's sour mixed Pickles, per bottle 35c
One-half Gallon Hyman's sour Mixed Pickles, per bottle 50c
40-oz Bot. Hyman's sour spiced Lily Hot, per bottle 20c
40-oz Bot. Hyman's sour spiced Chow Chow, per bottle 20c
20-oz Bot. Heinz sour spiced Mixed Pickles 12 1/2c

24-oz Bot. Heinz sour spiced Mixed Pickles 17 1/2c
24-oz Bot. Heinz Sweet Mixed Pickles, per bottle 20c
32-oz Bot. Heinz India Relish per bottle 25c
14-oz Bot. Heinz Evaporated Horse Radish 25c
All kinds of Bulk Pickles at greatly reduced prices.

We have plenty of all goods previously advertised at prices quoted. Call to see us or phone your orders. Remember these goods are all fresh clean stock and will be sold at prices quoted.

Phone 42.

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TEN CENTS

THE WEATHER.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 9.—Tonight and Thursday, increasing cloudiness, warmer.

Weather Notes.

Galveston, Dec. 8.—Precipitation has occurred in Atlantic districts attending the disturbance central yesterday over New York and which has moved off to sea. The area of high pressure in rear of this disturbance is now central over the lower Mississippi valley, and the temperature has fallen in South Texas and over a broad area extending from the east Gulf coast into the lower Lake region and New England. The weather has moderated rapidly in the upper valleys and throughout the northwest. A disturbance entering over the north Pacific coast is causing rain in that section. In Texas the weather has been fair, except that light rain has fallen at Brownsville. It is slightly warmer in the Panhandle, and at time of report the temperature ranged from 22 degrees at Amarillo to 50 degrees at Brownsville.

River Bulletin.

River stages in feet and tenths. (75 Meridian time.)

Brazos River—	Flood Stage at	8 a. m.
Kopperl	21.0	2.0
Waco	22.0	2.0
Valley Junction	40.0	5.2

River Forecast.

There will be no important change in the Trinity, Brazos and Colorado rivers.

B. BUNNEMEYER,
Section Director.

Bad Man Goes to Gallows.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 9.—Tomorrow is the date fixed for the execution in the Chattanooga jail of David D. Edwards, the man who caused a sensation at his trial last summer by declaring that he had killed so many men in his time that he could not remember the exact number.

The crime for which Edwards is to pay the death penalty was the murder of J. W. Davis, a foreman in the employ of William J. Oliver, the railroad contractor. The crime was committed last March and was of a most brutal character.

Prior to the killing of Davis a number of men had fallen victims to Edwards' ready gun. A number of them were negroes and in most cases he escaped without punishment. It is believed that his victims numbered at least sixteen men. Mrs. J. W. Davis, the widow of his last victim, has asked permission to spring the death-trap when Edwards is executed. The request, of course, was refused, but it is said the relatives of the murdered man will be here from a dozen states to witness the execution.

Negro Congress on Tuberculosis.

Tuskegee, Ala., Dec. 9.—Beginning next Monday and continuing through the entire week, the International Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis will have its tuberculosis exhibits at the Tuskegee Institute. The programme to be followed is approximately the same as carried out at the great International Congress on Tuberculosis held recently in Washington.

During the week there will be held meetings of negro ministers, representatives of the Negro Y. M. C. A., the Negro Y. W. C. A., and colored women's clubs. These meetings will be in addition to a course of lectures to be given for the benefit of the negroes at large. Local committees have been at work preparing for the exhibit and a strong effort is to be made to secure the attendance and the co-operation of the strongest medical forces among the negro people of the entire country. The tuberculosis exhibit is being installed in commodious quarters on the institute grounds.

To Preserve the Forests.

Madisonville, Wis., Dec. 9.—Definite plans looking to the preservation of the forests of this section of the country will be considered and acted upon at the two days' meeting begun here today by the Lake State's Forestry association. The association was formed at a meeting at Saginaw a year ago, at which the Minnesota were officially represented. States of Wisconsin, Michigan and This year Indiana, Pennsylvania, New York, Illinois and the province of Ontario were invited to join the movement.

The participants in the conference include state foresters, educators, business men and others. The various associations of lumbermen have also sent representatives to the meeting. Uniform measures for the protection and preservation of the forests will probably be introduced at the sessions this winter of the legislature of the various states interested in the movement.

To the Choral Club.

The local editor of The Eagle is personally commissioned by Mme. Ellen Beach Yaw to express to the Ladies Choral club her appreciation of the courtesies extended her while in the city. She is impressed with the personnel of the club as well as the work of some of its members, and believes that under the hands of the ladies of this excellent organization Bryan has a bright musical future.

Personal.

Something new is the burnt wood fad. Its possibilities are limited only by the ideas of those who take up the work for development. Mr. M. H. James has just received an invoice of wood for the purpose of picturing and the pyrographing machines with which to execute the designs. He will be pleased to show these new ideas.

NOTICE.

The Grand opera house free list will be suspended for the Hanford engagement here Friday night.

Jno. B. Mike, Manager.

Just received, a car of fresh ground chops, which will be sold cheap. Phone for prices. Prompt delivery. E. C. Harder. Phone 251. 292-318

HASWELL'S BOOK STORE

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Santa Claus has started on his annual journey and will soon be with us. Children, write to him. Address your letters care of Tyler Haswell. Importer of Haviland, French, German and Austrian China. Save money by pricing my line.

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The feature of our store today—Suitable things for every member of the family—a multitude of them from far off Germany to make the children happy. We have many beautiful Story Books suitable for all ages; toys that are instructive; Mechanical Toys, Magic Lanterns, Real Steam Engines and Baby Pianos.

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An all-wood bottom polished quartered oak Rocker, intended as a \$5.50 leader, but priced for the Holidays at

\$4.75

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We are making prices on our entire line of Furniture that cannot be had elsewhere. The limited space at our command will not permit even a brief enumeration of all the various materials, finish and designs to be found in our stock. The best thing is to come and look at our stock of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, and Art Squares, window shades; bird's-eye maple and golden oak Chiffoniers; and serpentine front Sideboards. We will appreciate your presence in our store.

Respectfully,

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This beautiful golden oak Rocker, former price \$7.50, reduced for the Holidays to

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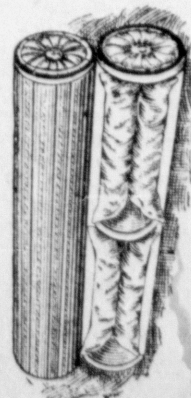


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BRYAN, TEXAS, DEC. 10, 1903.

The latest society with a cabalistic name is the D. Y. C. S. E. But there is no mystery about it; it means "Do your Christmas shopping early."

It is estimated that the shipments of turkeys from Texas this year will amount to three quarters of a million. The quota from Brazos county could be increased with profit.

It will be remembered that during the late campaign the Republicans promised tariff reform after the election, but in his message the president totally ignores this promise.

What's the use to discuss at this time who will be Joe Bailey's successor? If Bailey doesn't die or resign his successor will not be elected till 1912. Give us a rest till then.

Since the Kaiser found out he isn't as big a man as he thought he was it is said that he has aged perceptibly. Let us hope that he has increased in wisdom to a corresponding degree.

Orange has just brought in what is claimed to be the most prolific artesian well in Texas, having an alleged capacity of 1,000,000 gallons per day. Oh! that Bryan had an artesian well of even half that capacity.

In Navarro county when every fellow was for himself the poultry receipts averaged about \$20,000 a year. A poultry organization was formed and the receipts have grown to \$175,000. In organization there is power.

The Hotel Men's Association of Texas will ask the Thirty-first legislature to make it a felony to jump a hotel or boarding house bill. That is right. Beating an honest debt is morally as bad as stealing and ought to be punished with equal severity.

The cynic of the Galveston News remarks:

"Women nowadays do not marry as early as they used to, but they marry oftener."
Since men are not mentioned the inference is that they marry earlier and less frequently than women, but we never heard of a woman marrying anybody but a man.

Governor Campbell has an erroneous idea of what the people expect of a governor if he thinks he must spend \$16,000 a year to maintain the dignity of the office. Possibly his mistake is in supposing that a political machine is a necessary adjunct. It does cost money to build and operate a thing of that kind and the people have to pay it in one way or another.

The Peerless wanted some Texas land. And he got it down on the Rio Grande; Among the cactus and chapparal. He will clear a space for a cattle corral; In the fertile soil some holes he'll dig And plant the pecan, orange, and fig. In hope that during the years to come It may offer a welcome winter home. Where, when weary with cares of state And buffeted by adverse winds of fate, He'll find sweet rest and take his ease 'Neath the shade of his own semi-tropic trees.

Speaking of the boy whose leg was dislocated by the kick of an elephant, the Galveston News says:

"That Beaumont boy will have something to brag about to his future grandchildren. There are precious few kids in these United States who have been kicked by an elephant, and if the Beaumont Journal lets the public forget the distinction that accrues to its town by reason of its being the domicile of the boy it is not the paper it appears to be."

When a boy at Knoxville, Tenn., the writer was permitted by the lion keeper of VanAmburg's menagerie to hold a lion cub in his hands and put his finger in its mouth. He has often boasted of this to his children and others.

The readers of The Eagle are well aware that we have no partiality for Mr. Roosevelt, but when the charge was made, unsupported at the time by evidence, that with the knowledge and consent of the president a syndicate including his brother-in-law and a brother of President-elect Taft, had swindled the government out of \$28,000,000 in the Panama canal deal, we refused to believe it and when the President positively denied it we accepted his statement as true. But the charge is repeated and an investigation demanded. This changes the aspects of the case materially, and The Eagle believes that if the President refuses to respond to this demand he will be, and ought to be held guilty of falsehood and of countenancing bargain, intrigue and corruption of the grossest character. As already remarked, the whole affair is disgraceful, not only to the President and his party but to the American people, and for the good name of our country we all ought to hope that the president will be able to clear himself.

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WANTED—TEN POUNDS OF OLD CLEAN RAGS AT EAGLE OFFICE. MUST BE CLEAN OR WE CANNOT USE THEM.

For River and Harbor Work.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—With upwards of 2,000 delegates in attendance, coming from nearly every state and territory of the Union, the fifth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress was opened here today. The chief purpose of the gathering is to urge the government to make provision annually for river and harbor work and carry it forward on a systematic scale, instead of leaving the river and harbor bill as a "pork barrel" measure with which to dump a few millions into congressional districts where it will do the most good on the eve of an election.

President Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana called the gathering to order. The business sessions of the convention will continue three days and papers and addresses will be presented covering practically every phase of the subject by men familiar with the problem of inland waterways. An elaborate programme of entertainment has been arranged for the visitors.

The congress will discuss waterway projects and harbor improvements in all parts of the country. Particular attention will be given, however, to the plans for deepening and improving the Ohio and Mississippi rivers for commercial navigation. Another leading subject of discussion will be the development of the proposed inside passage along the Atlantic coast, so that warships, scattered at different Atlantic stations could run under shelter to rendezvous.

Foremost among the scheduled speakers at the congress are Andrew Carnegie, Ambassador Bryce of Great Britain, who will present a review of the waterways and canals of the United Kingdom and their relation to trade and commerce; Ambassador Nabuco of Brazil, Major J. A. Ockerson of the Mississippi river commission, Governor W. F. Frear of Hawaii, Secretary of the Interior Garfield, Horace McFarland, president of the National Civic Federation; Governor N. B. Broward of Florida, who is the president of the National Drainage association; Admiral C. M. Chester, who was a delegate to the international waterways congress recently held in St. Petersburg, and President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, who will discuss "Labor's Interest in Waterways Development."

The initial session today was given over largely to welcoming the guests and organization. When this had been accomplished Secretary J. F. Ellison proceeded to read the official call for the gathering. The call was in part as follows:

"The improvements of the waterways of the Nation, which this national convention will advocate and discuss, means increased and cheapened transportation facilities for the producer and the consumer, and there is no question before the American people more worthy of their serious thought and development and utilization of these natural and economic channels of trade and transportation."

"The National Rivers and Harbors Congress advocates a policy, not a project; it represents no particular section or project, but is the direct representative of all sections that have a meritorious claim for the improvement of a river, a lake, a harbor or a canal. This national organization—with delegates from every part of the Union—in national convention assembled, will advocate and stand for a broad, liberal, comprehensive policy for the improvement by the Federal Government of all waterways that have been examined and favorably reported upon by the United States as worthy of improvement for the benefit of the commerce of the country."

"The platform of the two great political parties have unequivocally endorsed and declared for the improvement of our rivers and harbors is thus taken out of the political field and placed on the roll of business questions, the solution of which is demanded by all sections and all branches of trade and commerce from their representatives in the Congress of the United States."

Thanks.

The ladies of the Choral club desire to express through the columns of The Eagle their sincere thanks to the general public for the patronage accorded the concert given by Mme. Yaw and her fine company here Tuesday night, under the auspices of the club. While there was no financial profit resulting from the engagement, and none was expected or particularly desired, yet the patronage extended was generous, and indicates the appreciation in which the efforts of the ladies are held. They ask the public to accept their thanks.

To the Public

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NOTICE.

A considerable amount is due the city on account of delinquent tax, and considering the fact that the law compels the city to bring suit for the recovery of such delinquent tax, we take this method of notifying those who are delinquent, to call at the City hall as early as possible, and thereby save expense to themselves and the city.

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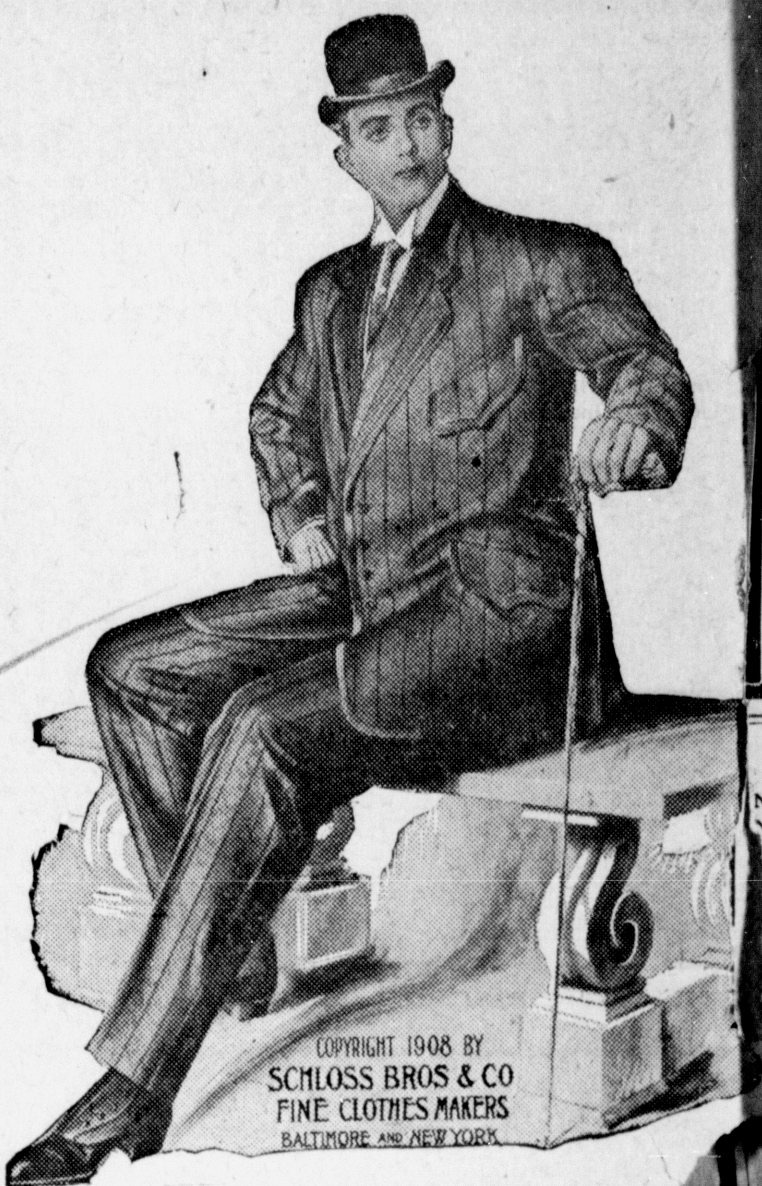
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No. 9 South bound.....2:48 a.m.
I. & G. N. Schedule.
No. 14 North bound.....12:54 p. m.
No. 15 South bound.....4:14 p. m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Mr. Ran Boswell of Hearne came in last evening.
Mrs. O. H. Astin has returned from Dallas.
Whit Doremus came in yesterday from Calvert.
His clothing at 33 1-3 per cent. discount at Wagner's. 317
Bass Kelley of Harvey was in city Wednesday.
Geo. Echols of Rosprim was in city Wednesday.
Artie Crawford of Harvey was in city Wednesday.
Claud Thompson of Harvey was in city Wednesday.
Furnish odd pieces in holiday furniture at Buchanan-Moore Co. 318
J. H. White of Wixon visited here Wednesday.
Mr. John Wilson of Batson is the guest of Mrs. R. M. Wilson.
Mr. Kan Kelley of Harvey, transacted business here Wednesday.
Mr. Harrison Lindsey of Reliance was in the city Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones of Reliance were in the city Wednesday.
Mr. C. H. B. Graham of Harvey was a visitor to the city Wednesday.
Have you seen our show windows? Open every night. Buchanan & Moore. 318
Mr. J. H. Hearne of Kurten transacted business here Wednesday.
Mr. Aden Buchanan was a visitor from Harvey Wednesday morning.
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Mr. Neff Outlaw was a visitor to the city from his home at Reliance.
Mr. J. T. Kelley was a business visitor from Harvey Wednesday morning.

5-ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT—Including 4 acres land, good water, out-houses, etc., one block from School house. Apply to Joe Greeland. 321

Mr. H. A. Taylor a prosperous and enterprising merchant of Cross, Grimes county, was in the city Wednesday and purchased heavily for his Christmas trade.

KEYS LOST—Eight keys on ring between Bryan and Jacob Luga's home. Liberal reward for return to me at once. Chas. Vesmirosky. 316

Mme. Ellen Beach Yaw and her company departed at 1:38 yesterday for Tyler, where a concert will be given Friday night. While in Tyler Mme. Yaw will be the guest of Mrs. L. L. Jester.

Rev. J. M. Bullock of this city was called to Wixon yesterday to preach the funeral of Mrs. Barnett, who died the day before. A more lengthy notice of the sad event will be printed tomorrow.

Miss Ethel Decker, who will assist the ladies of St. Andrew's (Episcopal) guild in presenting the Singing Skule, to be given here on the night of Dec. 18, arrived last evening and is the guest of Mrs. F. I. Garth.

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The ladies of the Baptist church are arranging to hold a bazaar in the Cozy theatre building on Thursday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock. In connection with the bazaar, cakes and candy will be sold. They solicit a share of your patronage.

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THE COTTON MARKET.

The federal government's estimate of the size of the cotton crop was announced yesterday, placing the number of bales at \$12,920,000. This means that the crop will equal, with repacks, 12,000,000 bales.

The estimate of yesterday is the final summing up of the government and is the only estimate as to the size of the crop. Upon announcement of the figures the market advanced 15 points, which was maintained at the close.

The action of the market yesterday is believed to presage an era of slightly higher prices.
Very little business was transacted in the Bryan market. Prices were based at 8 5-16c for middling staple.

AT THE PLAY HOUSE.

The Sweetest Girl in Dixie was the offering at the Grand last night, and as anticipated, was something of a society as well as a theatrical event.

Some changes and improvements are noted in the production as given heretofore, and the play seems to attract now fully for its idyllic beauty.

Miss Gale, the leading lady is making her initial tour of the south. She has played the northern circuit since the story was staged, and is most competent in the part essayed.

Each act is introduced by a mixed quartette of voices, which were musical and pleasing. This is a departure from the former manner of introducing the acts. Musical specialties were given which the audience seemed to appreciate, and altogether the play was fully up to the high expectations awakened by the announcement of its coming some weeks ago.

Messrs. Taylor & Fowler, stockmen, have purchased quite a bunch of cattle in this section, principally from the Messrs. Skaln residing nearby. One car of this stock was shipped Wednesday to Fort Worth over the H. & T. C., and seven cars were forwarded to Georgetown over the I. & G. N., where the cattle will be fed. The reason assigned for shipping the feeders away is, that a sufficiency of water for the animals was not conveniently attainable here.

Fresh bread, cakes, etc., at the Texas Bakery, Mrs. Otto Boehme, Proprietor.

A FINE TRADING POINT.

Mr. D. C. Cannon, residing near Madisonville, in Madison county, was in the city Wednesday morning purchasing a nice bill of goods from Bryan merchants. Mr. Cannon recalled the days when he was a frequent visitor and trader in this city, before the railroad was built through his section, since which time the business of that territory, which formerly came to Bryan and has been somewhat curtailed and diverted. But as the days go by, our neighbors in surrounding counties are learning that notwithstanding the coming of the railroad to their section of the state they can better afford to come to Bryan either to dispose of their products or to purchase supplies.

To The Eagle man, Mr. Cannon stated that he liked to trade in Bryan. He felt well acquainted here, and was always treated well. He finds here large stocks from which to make selections and in the matter of price no cause for complaint could be justified. He is well pleased with his purchases and expects to trade here again.

Mr. Cannon is a long time friend of Mr. W. M. Gibbs, a well-known salesman of the city, with whom he had freighted and hauled goods before the building of the railway.

A PARADISE—BU?

(Joe McGee.)
'Tis but natural for a fellow When he looks out on the farm, Views the smiling field and meadow, We'll admit it has its charm, As he hears the cows a-lowing With their load of Jersey sweet And sees the pigs a-growing Soon to give him sausage meat— Then beholds his garden teeming With its cabbage, peas and beans, And at supper finds him feasting On cold jaw and turnip greens, With his wife and babies round him— Yes, the picture's very nice, And confess to you, we're bound to say That it seems a paradise.

But when comes the rainy season, With the grass about knee-high, And the scene is not so pleasing, Beg your pardon, Brother Guy, Then again, excuse the author, When your corn begins to shoot, There will come a summer nother Which will score from top to root; And then when you sell your cotton At the usual selling price— You'll find there's something lacking In your modern paradise.

LITTLE LOCALS.

L. S. Ross chapter, U. D. C., will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Luther Taylor. A full attendance of the members is desired.

It is desired that all those who have promised to take part in the "Singing Skule" entertainment to be given here on the night of December 18th, be present at Carnegie hall tonight at 8:00 o'clock, when the preliminary arrangements will be completed and the work begun.

The Eagle acknowledges the receipt of a calendar for 1909, of exceptional beauty. In the scheme, the year is divided into quarters, not seasons, and the sentiment of the months of each section is thematized by the artist's brush. The calendar will have a prominent place near our desk and is the gift of the Swift and Co.

Friends in this city will learn with regret that death has removed Mr. Peter Amato from the scene of this world's activities to the quietude beyond. Knowledge of the death of Mr. Amato comes through Mr. Mendoza, nephew of the deceased, and occurred Tuesday night at 9:20 o'clock at the family home in Dallas. He was 70 years of age, and owned the first barber shop ever established in Bryan.

Rev. T. H. Morris, the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist church here arrived Tuesday afternoon. Under the escort of Mr. Ed Hall, Mr. Morris was shown about the city Wednesday morning, and made friends of all he met.

Mr. Morris is a former newspaper man, and in The Eagle office he felt quite at home. About Mr. Morris there is an air of cordiality that at once attracts and makes one glad to clasp his hand. Previous to his coming to Bryan, Mr. Morris was pastor of the Tyler church, considered one of the most important charges in the Texas conference. He has also served as presiding elder. To Mr. Morris and family, the citizens of Bryan will give most cordial greeting.

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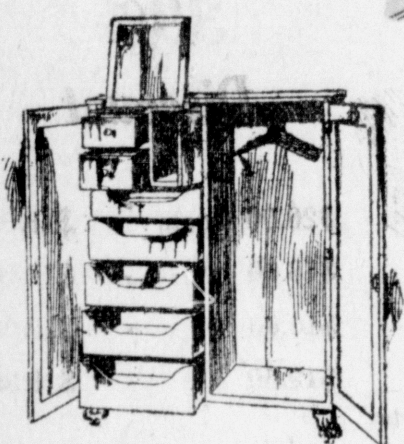
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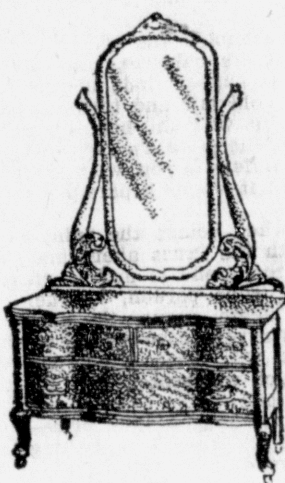
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take off her hat at the theatre why
should she not show as much consid-
eration for others by taking off her
hat in church?—Commercial Appeal.
That's easily explained: The love-
ly woman goes to the theatre to see
the performance, while she goes to
church to show her big hat.—Gaines-
ville Register.

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TO TAFT'S LIKING.

**President Elect and Cannon Are
In Conference.**

Washington, Dec. 9.—President
Elect Taft and Speaker Cannon had
a conference of an hour and a half.
At the conclusion each participant an-
nounced that an arrangement had
been made whereby Mr. Taft was to
meet the Republican members of the
house committee on ways and means.
Thursday afternoon, after which a
statement was to be issued. Until this
statement is made Mr. Taft said he
and Speaker Cannon agreed not to
discuss what had taken place be-
tween them.

The apparent satisfaction with
which Mr. Taft explained the situation
is taken as evidence that matters are
much to his liking.

COMPETITIVE PLAN.

**Burleson Favors Census Clerks Be-
ing Appointed In This Manner.**

Washington, Dec. 9.—The house
Wednesday began its regular business
session by proceeding to the consid-
eration of the bill providing for taking
the thirteenth census.

Mr. Burleson of Texas made the
principal speech. He advocated a
competitive examination of census
clerks.

Mr. Slayden of Texas has an amend-
ment requiring the taking of the cen-
sus of inter-marriages between whites
and blacks.

The credentials of John Sharp Wil-
liams as the successor of Senator
Morey of Mississippi, those of Mr. Mc-
Eniry of Louisiana and those of Mr.
Dillingham of Vermont were pre-
sented in the senate and referred to
the committee on privileges and elec-
tions.

Formal notice of contest for the seat
in the house now held by Albert Estop-
inal, Democrat of Louisiana, was
read in that body. It was signed by
H. C. Warmouth, contestant, who is
a Republican.

The president sent the following
nominations to the senate: To be the
chief of bureau of ordinance with rank
of admiral, Newton F. Mason; vice
governor of the Philippine Islands, W.
Cameron Forbes of Massachusetts;
member of Philippines commission
and secretary of finance and justice,
George Aranata, Philippine islands.

Representative Garner and Ray
Miller, secretary of the chamber of
commerce of Corpus Christi, laid be-
fore Chief Engineer Marshall of the
army, a proposition to make a chan-
nel from Turtle Cove to deep water
in Corpus Christi bay. Eleven in-
stead of eight and a half feet. The
work would cost \$5,000 and give a
good channel for traffic with Galves-
ton.

The treasury department has select-
ed the site of the northeast corner of
Henderson and Robertson streets,
Cleburne, for the public building at
that city. The property owned by
John A. Bryant and others. The price
is \$16,500.

The senate committee on foreign
relations acted favorably on the arbi-
tration with China and Peru and on
the naturalization treaties with
Brazil, Uruguay and Honduras.

Representative Sheppard introduced
a bill to enable the secretary of agri-
culture to conduct experiments in
making paper out of cotton stalks.
The senate confirmed the nomina-
tion of Luke Wright of Tennessee, to
be secretary of war and Truman New-
berry of Michigan to be secretary of
the navy.

COTTON PRODUCTION.

Estimate as Given Out by the Depart-
ment of Agriculture.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The total pro-
duction of cotton in the United States
for the year, 1908-09 amounts to \$6,
182,570,900 pounds, not including
linters, which is equivalent to 12,520,
000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight,
according to the estimate announced
by the department of agriculture. Es-
timate of production by bales of the
states is:

Virginia, 13,000; North Carolina,
619,000; South Carolina, 1,118,000;
Georgia, 1,844,000; Florida, 61,000;
Alabama, 1,723,000; Mississippi, 1,
360,000; Louisiana, 472,000; Texas, 3,
217,000; Arkansas, 1,069,000; Ten-
nessee, 340,000; Missouri, 54,000;
Oklahoma, 640,000.

Favor Bond Issue.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Texas dele-
gates to the Waterways convention
in caucus voted to favor a bond issue
and continuing contracts for rivers
and harbors. This is the big issue to
be decided by the congress. The dele-
gation elected C. S. E. Holland chair-
man and selected him for the resolu-
tions committee, also Judge Holman
of Bay City, on credentials. A favor-
able report of District Engineer Wal-
dron on two new locks and dams on
the Brazos river was submitted to the
congress. It recommends \$300,000 for
each dam.

Outbreak In Several Towns.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Dec. 9.—There
has been a revolutionary outbreak in
several northern towns of the republic
and it is feared the movement will
spread. The principal towns affect-
ed Port de Paix, Hinche and Jean
Babel. Other points of minor impor-
tance also report outbreaks.

Four Suits Instituted.

Pittsburg, Dec. 9.—Four suits have
been brought by eastern banks against
makers of notes discounted by P. J.
Kieran of the Fidelity Funding com-
pany of New York. They were enter-
ed in the United States district court
here. The amounts, including protest
fees, will reach nearly \$60,000.

Mrs. Longstreet Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Mrs. H. D.
Longstreet, widow of the Confederate
general, was confirmed postmaster at
Augusta, Ga.

Kentuckian Dies at Paris.

Paris, Dec. 9.—Edward J. Foree
of Louisville, Ky., died here.

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